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Liaison Officer

30 January 1951

Operations Officer

Progress Report for January, 1951

1. Final authorization from the agency for the monitoring and press scrutiny project at Saigon has been received. The necessary staff has been hired locally and it is expected that production will begin approximately 1 February. The press scrutiny phase of this operation has been coordinated with FDD through [] office.

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2. North Atlantic communications outages due to ionospheric disturbances continued on a severe scale during January. Nevertheless through more expeditious usage of available facilities there has been an improvement of the wordage available for the dialy report. Improved service has been obtained from the Department of State cable and further improvement is expected in February when new equipment has been installed at the cablehead and the Embassy Wire Room at London. Equipment needed to complete the termination of the Navy Circuit in London has arrived and is being installed.

3. The file that suffered most severely during the past month from the communications outages has been that of the Mediterranean Bureau. A project is presently under way whereby the East Coast Bureau is experimenting with direct monitoring of the Cable and Wireless radioteletype channel to London over which the Cyprus file is transmitted to our London Bureau. Initial results show sufficient promise to hope that a system may be devised whereby a substantial time saving in receipt of the Cyprus file is achieved, and the London Bureau will serve primarily as a backstop to fill in traffic which is not well received here by the direct means.

4. The T/O of Tokyo Bureau has been amended to permit the inclusion of three Chinese monitors on the staff, first of whom is now on duty. The mission of Chinese monitors at Tokyo will be to absorb certain Soviet and Chinese Communist coverage which is easily monitored at Tokyo, thus permitting the Okinawa Bureau Chinese Staff to concentrate more extensively on Chinese Communist regional broadcasts.

5. Although not evident in the FBID product, a change in teletype procedure has been effected which we believe presents a desirable achievement. By means of an unconventional mechanical adjustment to the teletype printers, it has been possible to alter teletype procedure to conform to standard Army Signal Corps procedures. Therefore ~~there~~ *removing* ~~have~~ a chronic source of complaint from the major carrier of FBIS traffic, while at the same time maintaining the necessary quadruple spacing on incoming copy here.

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Assistant Director for Operations

5 February 1951

Chief, FBID

Monthly Personnel Report, FBID

In compliance with memorandum from Assistant Director for Operations dated 19 January 1949, subject: Monthly Progress Reports, FBID personnel data is furnished herein.

1. Total number of employees occupying departmental positions as of 31 January 1951
2. Total number of field personnel
 - a. Employees fully cleared.
 - b. Native employees
 - c. Number of employees in each bureau

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<u>Bureau</u>	<u>American</u>	<u>Native</u>
East Coast		
West Coast		
Okinawa		
Tokyo		
London		
Mediterranean		
German		
Austrian		

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3. GRAND TOTAL of departmental and field personnel

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4. New employees entering on duty since the last report:

Name, Grade, TitleAssignmentEOD

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Editorial Branch

7 January 1951

Administrative
Staff

24 December 1950

Administrative
Staff

2 January 1951

Editorial Branch

13 January 1951

4. New Employees (continued)

<u>Name, Grade, Title</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>EOB</u>
	Editorial Branch	6 December 1950
	Editorial Branch	11 December 1950

5. Promotions and Reassignments

a. Promotions

<u>Name, Assignment</u>	<u>Old Grade, Title</u>	<u>New Grade, Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
	Teletypist GS-3	Teletypist GS-4	26 November 1950
	Teletypist GS-3	Teletypist GS-4	26 November 1950
	Monitoring Technician GS-6	Monitoring Technician GS-7	7 January 1951
	Monitoring Technician GS-6	Monitoring Technician GS-7	24 December 1950
	Mono-Monitor GS-6	Mono-Monitor GS-7	24 December 1950
	Information & Editorial Specialist, GS-7	Information & Editorial Specialist, GS-9	24 December 1950
	Information & Editorial Specialist, GS-5	Information & Editorial Specialist, GS-7	7 January 1951
	Information & Editorial Specialist, GS-5	Information & Editorial Specialist, GS-7	21 January 1951

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IAC CONTACTS BY CO/YD

<u>Name</u>	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Agency</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Sec. Class.</u>
Warfield, Alan M. Chief, FBID	Doris Klosson	DEB, OIR, Dept. of State	A State Dept. request for more FBID studies in quantitative and content analysis of Soviet radio propa- ganda. (Cont.)	21 Dec. '51	C-9
Warfield, Alan M. Chief, FBID	Allan Evans	DEB, OIR, Dept. of State	"	21 Dec. '51	C-9
Warfield, Alan M. Chief, FBID	Malville Ruggles	DEB, OIR, Dept. of State	"	21 Dec. '51	C-9
<div></div>	Lt. H. Garock	Office of Col- lection & Dis- semination, ONI, Dept. of Navy	Distribution of FBID publications to Dept. of Navy. (Cont.)	11 Dec. '51	D-9
	Lt. D. Robinson	Office of Chief of Naval Opera- tions, Dept. of Navy	Distribution of FBID publications to Dept. of Navy. (Cont.)	12 Dec. '51	D-9
	Lt. Colonel Morris	Psychological War- fare Div., G-3, USA, Dept. of Army	Any Army inquiry re equipment necessary to set up a small monitoring installa- tion in the field in support of military operations. Dupli- cation of present FBID effort with proposed project was emphasized. (Cont.)	14 Dec. '51	D-9

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	John Tilton	IAD, Dept. of State	Speedy delivery of FBIID special reports to VOA, New York. (Cont.)	18 Dec. '51	D-9
	Sidney Sulkin	Chief, IAD, Washington, Dept. of State	To arrange for FBIID to receive a daily briefing on VOA. (Cont.)	20 Dec. '51	D-9
	Cdr. Richard Antrim	Policy Committee of Public Affairs, Dept. of State	Discussion of proposed supplement to K Project. (Cont.)	5 and 22 Dec. '51	D-9
	Theodore R. Bruskin	IFIS, Dept. of State	"	15 Dec. '51	D-9
	Chester Opal	PES, OII, Dept. of State	To determine what FBIID material can best serve the needs of this consumer. (Cont.)	28 Dec. '51	D-9
	T.R. Buchanan	DRE, OIR, Dept. of State	Soviet radio comment 8, 18, 26, re German military situation and U.S. State of Emergency. (Cont.)	27 Dec. '51	D-9
	Virginia Ornelas	DRA, OIR, Dept. of State	Information concerning the reception of President Truman's speeches in Latin America. (Cont.)	18, 20, 21 Dec. '51	D-9

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<div></div>	Morris Rothenberg	DRE, OIR, Dept. of State	Broadcast of the Chinese Communist reply to the UN cease-fire appeal. (Cont.)	22 Dec. '51	D-9 50X1
	Bradford Coolidge	DRE, OIR, Dept. of State	Clarification of Chinese Communist broadcasts. (Cont.)	22 Dec. '51	D-9
	Royal J. Wald	DRE, OIR, Dept. of State	Chinese Communist reaction to the Truman speech. (Cont.)	14, 21 Dec. '51	D-9

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Promotions, continued

<u>Name, Assignment</u>	<u>Old Grade, Title</u>	<u>New Grade, Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
	Information & Editorial Specialist, GS-5	Information & Editorial Specialist, GS-7	4 February 1951
	Information & Editorial Specialist, GS-7	Information & Editorial Specialist, GS-9	4 February 1951
	Monitoring Technician GS-6	Monitoring Technician GS-7	4 February 1951
	Monitoring Technician GS-6	Monitoring Technician GS-7	4 February 1951
	Transmitter Specialist GS-11	Intercept Research Specialist GS-12	24 December 1950

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b. Reassignments

<u>Name</u>	<u>Old Title, Grade, Assignment</u>	<u>New Title, Grade, Assignment</u>	<u>Date</u>
	Engineer GS-9 Mediterranean Bureau	Multi-Monitor GS-9 East Coast Bureau	6 October 1950
	Deputy Chief GS-14 Office of Chief	Chief GS-14 Office of Chief	21 January 1951
	Bureau Chief GS-12 Okinawa Bureau	Bureau Chief GS-13 London Bureau	21 January 1951
	Clerk-Stenographer GS-4 Editorial Branch	Clerk GS-5 Tokyo Bureau	21 January 1951

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Reassignments, continued

<u>Name</u>	<u>Old Title, Grade, Assignment</u>	<u>New Title, Grade, Assignment</u>	<u>Date</u>	
<div></div>	Information & Editorial Specialist, GS-11 London Bureau	Information & Editorial Specialist, GS-11 Editorial Branch	22 November 1950	50X1
	Information & Editorial Specialist, GS-7 West Coast Bureau	Information & Editorial Specialist, GS-9 Okinawa Bureau	24 December 1950	

6. Separations

<u>Name, Grade, Title</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Action</u>	<u>Date</u>	
<div></div>	Office of Chief	Resignation	16 December 1950	50X1
	Editorial Branch	Resignation	23 December 1950	
	Okinawa Bureau	Resignation	26 December 1950	
	Editorial Branch	Transfer to FDD	21 January 1951	
	Editorial Branch	Transfer to Contacts Branch	7 January 1951	
	Editorial Branch	Transfer to OCB	21 January 1951	
	London Bureau	Resignation	14 November 1950	

7. Recommendations requiring Office of Operations action:

None

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